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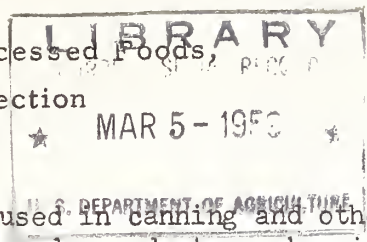
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POULTRY - Canned and Processed Foods

Eviscerated - Federal Inspection

May 1958



July 3, 1958

The quantity of poultry used in canning and other processed foods during May 1958 totaled 21,384,000 pounds ready-to-cook weight compared with 17,978,000 pounds in May 1957--an increase of 19 percent. The quantity used consisted of 16,789,000 pounds of chicken and 4,595,000 pounds of turkey. The quantity of poultry used in canning and other processed foods during the first 5 months of 1958 totaled 104,063,000 pounds compared with 85,904,000 pounds during the same months in 1957--an increase of 21 percent.

The quantity of poultry certified under Federal inspection during May totaled 111,087,000 pounds ready-to-cook weight, compared with 110,841,000 pounds in May 1957. Of this total 88,301,000 pounds were chicken, 19,865,000 pounds were turkey and 2,921,000 pounds were other poultry. During the months January through May of this year, 462,437,000 pounds of poultry were certified under Federal inspection--an increase of 6 percent compared with the same months in 1957.

Poultry used in canning and other processed foods - 1957 - 1958
(Ready-to-cook weights)

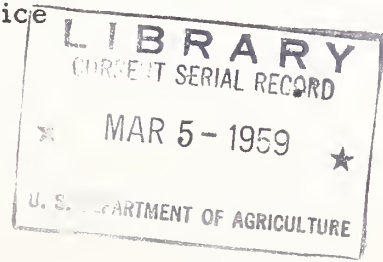
Months	: Young	: Mature	:	:	:	: Other	:	: Total	:	:
	: chickens	: chickens	:	:	: Turkeys	:	: poultry	:	: poultry	:
	: 1957	: 1958	: 1957	: 1958	: 1957	: 1958	: 1957	: 1958	: 1957	: 1958
	: 1,000	: 1,000	: 1,000	: 1,000	: 1,000	: 1,000	: 1,000	: 1,000	: 1,000	: 1,000
	: pounds	: pounds	: pounds	: pounds	: pounds	: pounds	: pounds	: pounds	: pounds	: pounds
January	: 1,846	2,643	12,649	16,481	2,648	5,907	0	0	17,143	25,031
February	: 1,657	2,274	11,715	13,200	3,048	4,639	0	0	16,420	20,113
March	: 1,445	2,187	13,006	12,372	1,961	3,724	0	0	16,412	18,283
April	: 1,788	3,108	13,937	11,477	2,214	4,660	12	7	17,951	19,252
May	: 2,097	2,768	12,263	14,021	3,603	4,595	15	0	17,978	21,384
June	: 2,059		12,755		3,341		30		18,185	
July	: 1,446		10,937		3,585		40		16,008	
August	: 1,628		14,225		4,906		16		20,775	
September	: 1,745		10,682		5,177		10		17,614	
October	: 2,317		15,419		6,389		0		24,125	
November	: 2,671		14,340		5,833		3		22,847	
December	: 2,468		14,218		5,159		1		21,846	
	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:
Total	: 23,167		156,146		47,864		127		227,304	
Jan.- May	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:
Incl.	: 8,833	12,980	63,570	67,551	13,474	23,525	27	7	85,904	104,063
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Poultry eviscerated under the USDA inspection service
(Ready-to-cook weights)

Months	Total chickens		Total turkeys		Other poultry		Total poultry	
	1957	1958	1957	1958	1957	1958	1957	1958
	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000
	pounds	pounds	pounds	pounds	pounds	pounds	pounds	pounds
January	71,886	80,140	22,119	23,058	449	602	94,454	103,800
February	61,954	67,768	7,660	4,209	502	647	70,116	72,624
March	65,720	72,819	8,421	6,124	821	1,131	74,962	80,074
April	73,780	85,443	11,107	7,307	2,221	2,102	87,108	94,852
May	80,642	88,301	26,863	19,865	3,337	2,921	110,841	111,087
June	74,457		30,895		3,034		108,386	
July	77,269		42,357		3,707		123,333	
August	86,822		67,461		3,060		157,343	
September	93,560		98,617		2,704		194,881	
October	107,021		146,852		2,301		256,174	
November	82,016		144,783		2,410		229,209	
December	81,858		92,638		1,404		175,900	
Total	956,985		699,772		25,950		1,682,707	

Jan.-May : 353,982 394,471 76,169 60,563 7,330 7,403 437,481 462,437
Incl. :

Poultry eviscerated under USDA inspection service, by classes - 1957 - 1958
(Ready-to-cook weights)

Months	Chickens				Turkeys				Fryer Roaster	
	Young		Mature		Young		Old		Fryer	Roaster
	1957	1958	1957	1958	1957	1958	1957	1958	1957	1958
	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000
	pounds	pounds	pounds	pounds	pounds	pounds	pounds	pounds	pounds	pounds
January	55,933	64,600	15,933	15,540	19,450	19,599	619	1,394	2,050	2,065
February	47,301	57,659	14,653	10,109	5,158	1,890	896	685	1,606	1,634
March	53,845	64,050	11,875	8,769	3,033	1,530	1,803	848	3,585	3,746
April	61,221	73,185	12,559	12,258	2,736	1,753	3,430	1,523	4,941	4,031
May	64,020	73,358	16,622	14,943	9,091	6,289	12,825	8,922	4,946	4,654
June	60,352		14,105		16,424		8,951		5,520	
July	63,571		13,698		35,715		1,516		5,126	
August	66,511		20,311		58,124		1,088		8,249	
September	65,467		28,093		90,476		233		7,908	
October	70,407		36,614		139,779		111		6,962	
November	59,707		22,309		138,681		47		6,055	
December	65,860		15,998		87,541		340		4,757	
Total	734,195		222,790		606,208		31,859		61,705	

Jan.-May : 282,320 332,852 71,662 61,619 39,468 31,061 19,573 13,372 17,128 16,130
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